

Conference Announcement

Obstacles to Translation

March 1–2, 2006

University of California, San Francisco

This Conference will address the Obstacles that have prevented the translation of the knowledge of the gene defects underlying dozens of heritable skin diseases into useful, effective molecularly targeted therapies. The focus will be on Obstacles to Identification and Production of Useful Molecules; Obstacles to their Delivery and Immunologic Barriers to their Use; Regulatory Obstacles; and Financial Obstacles. Speakers will be from the Academic, FDA, Pharma, Biotech, and Venture Capital communities.

The organizers are Ervin Epstein, Barbara Gilchrest, and Leonard Milstone.

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